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Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of

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For: OPTICAL DEVICE, METHOD FOR PRODUCING THE SAME AND RECORDING

AND/OR REPRODUCING APPARATUS EMPLOYING THE SAME

Enclosed are:

⊠ Specifio	cation	and	Claim(s)	
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- ☑ Oath or Declaration (Unexecuted).
- \square An assignment of the invention to _____.
- ⊠ Copy of <u>Three</u> priority application(s).
- ☐ Preliminary Amendment.

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	A Preliminary Amendment is attached.
	°Verified Statement claiming small entity status is enclosed.
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